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In re Appln. of:

Kirk E. Neet

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Assembly With Rectangular

Continuous Wire

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d), Applicant cites the following references (each listed for the Examiner's convenience on the enclosed Form PTO-1449):

No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
EP 1 134872 A2	19.09.01	Mitsubishi Denki Kabushiki
EP 1 109289 A3	14.08.02	Mitsubishi Denki Kabushiki

A copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) is also enclosed. As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R §1.98(a)(3). Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the listed references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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Applicant hereby certifies that each item of information in this Statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Statement.

Applicant has also calculated a processing fee in the amount of \$180.00 to be due under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) in connection with the filing of this Statement. Applicant has enclosed a check covering this fee, or authorized charging the fee to a deposit account, as indicated in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 (one sheet)

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